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HSIAO K'e (蕭克) left Hankow for Canton on 14 January on his way to Hainan. For the past three months HSIAO has been traveling in South China, directing special projects on behalf of the Revolutionary Military Council of the Chinese Communist Government. Most of these projects concern Southeast Asia.

Comment. HSIAO K'e has been mentioned repeatedly in reports concerned with Chinese Communist intentions toward Southeast Asia.

Previously HSIAO was reported to have been detached from his duties as chief of staff of the 4 Field Army in March 1950 for preparations for military action based in South China, presumably against

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